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JASPER BREVITIES.

Miss Sarah Lewis spent Wednesday in Chattanooga.

Mrs. A. L. Spears has been the guest of Mrs. Arnold at Chattanooga.

C. A. Deakins left Sunday for Chattanooga where he has spent the last week.

Miss Cora Deakins who has been sick for several weeks is able to be out again.

S. T. Simpson, of Yucca, Ala., has been the guest of relatives for a few days this week.

J. W. Simpson, J. D. Deakins and Sam Raulston spent Thursday fishing at Ketchikan.

STATE NEWS.

A telephone exchange is being put in at Ducktown.

Circuit court is in session at Athens with an average docket.

Caldwell Bros. started an extensive soap factory at Columbus.

The Meigs county court changed its decision to buy blood hounds.

The anti-saloon league plans a live campaign over the state this year.

The Glenn Jewelry Co. at Morristown commenced the manufacture of clocks.

All necessary action has been taken to secure a Carnegie library at Jackson.

A 4-year-old child of Taylor Graham was scalped to death at Coker Creek.

The legislature repealed the law creating a state board of tax equalization.

An Odd Fellows lodge was organized at Clithiana with W. A. Bowens, N. G.

District conference was postponed indefinitely on account of small-pox at Newport.

Chas. Hicks, of Monroe county, will engage in the extensive cultivation of persimmons.

Rats set the house of Tom Wilson on fire at Millington and the building was destroyed.

Chattanooga G. A. R. posts have commenced making arrangements for decorations May 30.

A tramp who applied at a Bristol hotel for food fainted when the proprietor pointed to a wood pile.

Miss Jessie Pickett, 17 years old, living near Huntingdon, has finished a quilt containing 26,000 pieces.

A special postoffice for confederate reunion veterans will be established at Memphis during the May meeting.

A curycumb supposed to be 100 years old was found covered with the growth of a tree near Humboldt.

The property tax inside the Morristown corporation for 1901 amounts to \$900,000, a decline over last year of \$25,000.

The Rutledge Republican company offers to send its paper free to any family who will convince the editor of its inability to pay the subscription.

The Rogersville Herald contains the following: "Ravenous town dogs celebrated the defeat of the dog law by killing thirteen fine shorthorns, weighing from 50 to 75 pounds for Dr. J. Nelson this week. They have also killed several fine sheep and goats for the doctor lately."

To Extend It.

Work will be commenced shortly to add a sixty-foot extension to the present stock house at the Handle Works. This will make the building 100 feet long. The work will be done by Henry Kunt carpenter, contractor and builder.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Patton, of South Pittsburg are visiting Mr. Patton's parents this week.

Byron Pope, W. D. Spears, Austin Hall, B. E. Tatum and A. L. Pitts left Monday for Nashville.

Mrs. Albert Cook, of South Pittsburg after a week's visit with her parents has returned home.

Miss Crabb after spending the first of the week in Birmingham returned to Jasper Wednesday.

The Farmers' Troubles.

He riseth up in the morning when the voice of the rooster heraldeth the approach of day; he wandereth around in the darkness and coolness of the morning seeking his trousers and findeth them by and by, where he left them not; he uncovereth the coals of fire and heapeth on kindling, and awaketh the sleepers of his habitation with a loud voice; he departeth for the barn without a light to guide his steps and he stumbleth over the sleeping cow, and straightway, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, he landeth upon his nose, but he riseth up quickly, kicketh the four legged beast and proceedeth on his way; he climbeth up into the barn loft and falleth through a hole in the floor into the midst of the young mules, and in a sweet voice he beseegeth them to remain quiet and fear not, but they hearken not to his voice, and straightway he climbeth up into the trough and remaineth there until the break of day.

Who is this strange creature who doeth these strange things? He who tilleth the soil and feedeth the nation with the fruits of his labor; he who gathereth corn into his crib and poureth wheat into his granary and payeth his taxes with the price of one yearling. He watcheth the rain descend on his growing crops and the bawling of calves filleteth his mouth with a merry whistle. The "punkin" blossoms as a rose in his fields, and watermelons adorn his front veranda in the cool of the evening. His children grow not up in idleness, but in exercise, pork and beans giveth to their cheeks the color of cherries. And when they are grown up they become pillars in the church and ratters in society.

Verily, I say unto you the farmer is the hope of the nation, and he should be protected in these latter days by the wisest legislation.—Exchange.

SHOP NOTES.

Allen Anderson, the proficient brass moulder at the valve-works, was slightly incapacitated for work by sickness last Friday and Saturday.

Early Monday morning a lot of mining cars were loaded on a car placed at a convenient point opposite the Works so that no hauling was necessary, and the entire lot loaded in less than an hour. The N. C. & St. L. R. R. management make it a point to serve its patrons and we will remember the favor on the occasion of our next complaint. We make our acknowledgments to Supt. M. M. Anderson and our best bow to Mr. Scott Minter. The mining cars were the first lot ordered by the Douglas Coal & Coke Co., of Dunlap. Capt. Jno. Frater, of Victoria, is the original designer of the cars, which are of an especially strong and substantial build.

Grate bars are in great demand now judging from recent orders.

Heavy work seems to be the order of the times at the valve-works. Eighty-pound brasses and 3,000-lb furnace plates are some examples of work booked recently.

Mr. Edgar Pryor, the chief handy man, car-builder and pattern maker, is now tusseling with "a octopus." It may not be a real octopus but it looks like a pattern for one.

Job work is plentiful and another good machinist is needed.

The Valve Works shut down on Wednesday in respect and esteem for Mr. Spears Robertson, who died Tuesday.

Mr. Pleas Carlton and family are now occupying the new cottage on Gustafson Boulevard. We welcome him as a good citizen and a valuable addition to our Pitney City. He will be duly initiated into the Valve Works Brotherhood as soon as he shall have been sufficiently proven (by fire or otherwise), prepared, worthy, qualified and vouched for.

MAY SUCCEED H. CLAY EYVINS.

Ex-Representative Broderick of Kansas. Is Strongly Supported.

Washington, April 14.—Applicants for the position of commissioner of pensions retain their activity and are bringing strong pressure to secure an early change.

Ex-Representative Broderick, of Kansas, who served as a private in the civil war from 1862 until August 1865 is receiving strong congressional backing and as Representative Peters of his state has withdrawn from the race he stands an excellent chance of being selected.

The friends of First Deputy Commissioner of Pensions Davenport of New Hampshire, are urging his qualifications as entitling him recognition, as are the friends of Assistant Secretary Campbell, of Ohio, who reviews pension matters at present in the interior department. It is stated that the office was tendered to and declined by ex-Gov. Connors, of Maine, who preferred to retain his present position as pension agent.

SOUTH PITTSBURG, CHARTER.

Repeated by the Legislature After a Heated Fight by Temperance People.

Nashville, April 12.—The bill repealing the charter of South Pittsburg passed the house today after one of the bitterest fights of the session, and is now up to the Governor to become a law. A large number of the leading citizens of the town were here to press the passage of the bill, and were opposed by an equally large number opposing the measure. It appears that the whiskey dealers have been unusually defiant in that town and the people became so intensely wrought up that they were willing to do almost anything to stop the traffic. The anti-temperance members of the legislature were very spirited in their opposition, but this seems to be somewhat of a temperance legislature, and the bill went through by a good safe majority.

Sulphur Spring.

Special to the News.

Quite a crowd from this place attended church at Oak Grove Sunday.

Mr. G. C. Lay and sister, Miss Sarah, were visiting at Mr. E. K. Hamilton's Sunday.

Mr. Lafayette Smith has rented his farm and moved to Dunlap to take charge of a mill.

Miss Sallie Brown is looking very sad on account of a certain young man leaving for the far off West.

Rev. S. T. Larkin, of Jasper, was visiting in this vicinity Monday.

We would be glad to hear from Uncle Joe and Cold Wave.

Mr. Ed Alder, of Victoria was in this vicinity Monday swapping horses.

Another lady boarder at J. B. Brooks. She weighs six lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Alder went to Whitwell Friday.

Married, Mr. Erastus Phelps, of Dunlap to Miss Lulu Smith of Dunlap.

Messrs B. B. and G. W. Alder went to Victoria Monday.

Mr. H. C. Grayson went to Whitwell Saturday.

Wonder where J. M. Bryson went last Sunday night. Jim says he is not afraid of owls.

Mr. J. R. Rogers, of Pleasant Grove, was in this vicinity Wednesday.

Mr. Pres. Daniel, of Cedar Spring, passed through this vicinity Wednesday.

Miss Willie Prigmore visited relatives at Whitwell last week.

Mr. Peyton Carlton and sister, Miss Stella, went to Whitwell Friday shopping.

Rev. F. M. Shirley, of Red Hill was visiting James Brooks Sunday.

Mr. Jim Anderson was calling on Miss Ethel Davis Sunday.

Jumbo.

YOU KNOW WHAT YOU TAKE

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 30c.

C. W. Sharitz a business man of Johnson city is missing.

COME TO S. H. ALEXANDER

and buy your goods where you will always find courteous treatment and will not be overcharged for what you buy.

LADIES' WAISTS, SKIRTS and GOWNS

Ladies' ready made Waists, Skirts and Gowns:

Waists from 50c to \$1.25.
Skirts from \$1.00 to 1.75.
Gowns from 50c to \$1.25.

LACES and... EMBROIDERIES

There is no house here that keeps the assortment of these goods that we do.

Laces from 1c yd to 25c.
Embroideries from 5c to 35c yd.

CLOTHING

Mens' Suits from \$3.50 to 11.50
Boys' Suits from \$1.00 to 7.00
Youths' suits from \$2.75 to 6.50

WHITE GOODS

We can show you the nicest line of White Goods ever shown here from 5c to 25c yd.

WASH GOODS

A beautiful lot of Dress Ginghams, Dimities and Pongees at 5c, 8c, 10c, 15c and 25c per yd.

Shoes and Slippers.

We boast a little of our line of Shoes. We handle shoes from some of the best factories known and they most always give entire satisfaction and whenever we find that they have not we will endeavor to satisfy the customer.

Don't fail to see us when you want shoes and you will save some shoe bills.

LADIES' and MISSES' HOSE.

Ladies' and Misses' Hose from 5c to 50c per pair.

FURNITURE.

Don't forget that you can buy as cheap a bill of Furniture from me as you can any where and pay freight.

CENTS' NECKWEAR, SHIRTS and COLLARS

We bought direct from the factory some of these goods and can save you money.

MENS' and LADIES' UNDERWEAR

It will soon be time to look for these goods and you will miss it if you don't see what we have.

MENS' WORK SHIRTS.

Our assortment of these goods are nearly always complete from 25c to 50c.

SILK

A nice line of Silks suitable for waists.

GROCERIES

16 lbs. Granulated sugar, \$1.00
17 lbs. light brown sugar, \$1.00
Cordova coffee, 8 lbs. for 25c
Navy beans, per lb., . . . 5c
Dried apples, per lb., . . . 6c
Tomatoes, 3 cans for . . . 25c
Corn, 3 cans for . . . 25c

RESPECTFULLY,

S. H. ALEXANDER,

JASPER, TENN.

To Prepare For Them.

The following was read to his flock by an Oregon pastor, says the Franklin (Pa.) Evening News:

"Brethren and Sisters—I write to say farewell. I do not think God loves this church for none of you die."

I do not think you love one another for none of you marry.

I do not think you love me for you do not pay my salary. Your contributions have been musty fruit and wormy apples and by their fruits ye shall know them. Brethren, I am going to a better place. I have been appointed chaplain at the state penitentiary.

Where I go you cannot come now but I go to prepare a place now.

And may God have mercy on your souls."

Caught a Dreadful Cold.

Marion Kooke, manager, for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1635 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend to my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by Coldwell & Chaudoin.

Comfort.

Special to the News.

Mr. Albert Kelly was in attendance at Sunday school Sunday.

Call on A. R. Wright & Co., of Pin Hook, for staple groceries, dry goods, shoes, etc.

Some improvements are being made around the school grounds by the students.

Messrs. Jasper and Thomas Anderson made a business trip to Sequachee last Saturday.

Mr. S. R. Gudgey was at South Pittsburg Saturday.

Mr. J. M. Brown made a trip to Sulphur Spring Friday.

Visit our school and see how things are moving along.

Misses Myrtle Smith and Beatrice Adams entered school at the Institute last week.

There was a good attendance at the Sunday school last Sunday.

Come out to the debate at the school house next Saturday night. The county bonding question will be discussed by Esq. S. H. Ralston, Prof. Brown, W. N. Bible and Jasper Anderson. After the debate a Literary Society will be organized.

A Testimonial from Old England.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr. William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by Coldwell & Chaudoin.

Says It Will Not Be Built.

Maj. John W. Thomas, President of the N. C. & St. L. Railway, was shown a report from Knoxville yesterday which stated that the directors of his road at their last meeting had decided to build a link connecting the McMinnville and Pikeville branches. Maj. Thomas said there was nothing in the report. He said that work had been going on for three or four months running a line towards Lantana, which is in the coal fields above Bon Air, and about twenty miles above Bon Air. It is about forty miles in that direction to Pikeville, but our only intention has been to go as far as Lantana."

The Best Remedy for Rheumatism

QUICK RELIEF FROM PAIN. All who use Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism are delighted with the quick relief from pain which it affords. When speaking of this Mr. D. N. Sinks, of Troy, Ohio, says: "Some time ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism in my arm and shoulder. I tried numerous remedies but got no relief until I was recommended by Messrs. Geo. F. Parsons & Co., druggists, of this place, to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. They recommended it so highly that I bought a bottle. I was soon relieved of all pain. I have since recommended this liniment to many of my friends, who agree with me that it is the best remedy for muscular rheumatism in the market." For sale by Coldwell & Chaudoin.

Snow is reported in the mountains of Cooke county.